GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3263
ANSWERED ON:10.12.2001
AIRWORTHINESS CERTIFICATES TO AIRCRAFT
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of requirements needed for issuance of airworthiness certificate to aircraft;

(b) whether a number of aircraft/planes have been given airworthiness certificates without following the laid down guidelines;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(d) the action taken/being taken against the guilty officers who issued these certificates.

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SYED SHAHNAWAZ HUSSAIN)
(a) Rule 50 of the Aircraft Rules, 1937 empowers the Director General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) to issue/renew orvalidate the Certificate of Airworthiness. Certificate of Airworthiness, which is valid for one year, is issued by DGCA after satisfying that the aircraft is manufactured in accordance with an approved type design and various equipments are installed on the aircraft, as specified by DGCA.
(b) No, Sir.
(c) and (d) Do not arise.